



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	SATURDAY, February 1 – First Saturday
8:30 a.m.	Living/deceased of the Miller/Gammell families
4:00 p.m.	Ned Merkle †
	SUNDAY, February 2
9:00 a.m.	For the People
11:00 a.m.	Agnes Carpenter-Dorn †
	MONDAY, February 3
	No Mass
	TUESDAY, February 4
6:30 p.m.	Mass at Saint Ladislav
	WEDNESDAY, February 5
	Saint Agatha
8:30 a.m.	Mass at Corpus Christi
	THURSDAY, February 6
	Saint Paul Miki and Companions
8:30 a.m.	Agnes Storer †
	FRIDAY, February 7 – First Friday
8:30 a.m.	Paul and Frances Bobo †
	SATURDAY, February 8
4:00 p.m.	Alberta Sauer †
	SUNDAY, February 9
9:00 a.m.	Bill Hirn †
11:00 a.m.	For the People

Confession available:

Saturday 3:15-3:45 – Sunday 8:15 – 8:45 – Sunday 10:15 – 10:45
Coffee and doughnuts are served following the Sunday 9:00.m. Mass

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

RCIA: Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

First Friday: Adoration following Mass until 1:00 p.m.

After the final Blessing please join us in reciting the following prayers:
The Our Father, the Hail Mary, the Glory Be and the Prayer to Saint Michael, the Archangel.

MUSIC-9:00 MASS

Prelude: EDWARDS: Adoration

Communion: PALESTRINA: Adoramus te

SERMON ON THE AMOUNT

Week of:	Actual offertory/ other income	Amount needed to cover expenses	Amount over/under
Jan. 25-26	\$7618	\$11,315	(\$3697)
Year to date	\$369,632	\$370,170	(\$538)

*Other income includes gifts, bequests and donations from societies

Refresh them Lord with your healing grace.
Please remember in your prayers

Hospital, Nursing/Assisted Living facility:
Toni Neal, Keith Russel, Wesley Walker

At home: Sharon Kirby, Mary Sailor, Carla Palkuti, Dan Hogan, Karen Schlueb, Foday Kenneh, Denise Gammell, Tammy Littler, Shirley Thibaut, Danny Campbell, Albert Petrikas Yvonne Brennan, Dottie Kelly, Alieu Kenneh, Frank Wickham, Kou and Fu-mei Liu, Jim Hanson, Jenny Jimenez, Bill Antoniak

If you are admitted to a hospital St. Mary may not be notified.
Please ask a family member to call the parish office.

RCIA

The RCIA class resumes their on-site weekly classes. The topic: *What role does gender play in the creation of human beings? What role does it play in human happiness? And why is one of our sacraments built around its fulfillment?* Men and women, men and women, men and women! Join us this week as we explore the foundations of the sacrament of marriage.

SSCM PANTRY-ITEM FOR JANUARY: The item needed for the month of **February is soup**. Please drop your donation off throughout the month. We will have a basket marked “food pantry” in the Vestibule. If you are interested in helping with this ministry please contact Mary Kelly Minner or cell: 614.404.0817.

JORDAN CONFERENCE.....the next quarterly Jordon Conference is scheduled for **Tuesday, February 18, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** This meeting will be held on the 2nd floor Burkley Center for parents who wish to have a child baptized. Please contact the parish office at 614-445-9668 or email Ann at ann@stmaryguv.org to confirm your attendance.

WEEK BY WEEK DEVELOPMENT OF AN UNBORN BABY'S LIFE

Week 6 – My skeleton is complete now and I have reflexes. Now I have electrical brain wave patterns that can be recorded. I am becoming a thinking person.

ST. CHARLES: recently announced its Second Quarter Honor and Merit Rolls for the 2019-2020 school year. Our Saint Mary students achieving this distinction are: Lennon Aledia, Julian Howell and Nicholas Relli-Dempsey. Congratulations!

BAPTISMS IN FEBRUARY

February 16: Kelly family, daughter, Vera
February 22: Znidarsic family, son/daughter, Mikah & Greta
February 29: Moye family, son, William

LITURGICAL/VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES for FEBRUARY 8-9, 2020 (2nd Sunday of the Month)

TIME	SACRISTAN	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER
4:00 P.M.	Barbara Myers	Joe Giannetti and Sherrie Hayes	Dave and Lori Mitchell Shirley Thibaut and Eileen Hoffman
9:00 A.M.	Carla Shaw	Don Metnes and Marge Smigelski	Brian and Colleen Renner
11:00 A.M.		Mike Hicks and Jennifer Willis	Ann Anderson and Jennifer Larsen

COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS: February 9 - Mike Chambers and Cecilia Reis *Pray for our men and women in uniform*

Collection counters for the 2nd Sunday of the month: Lin Duren and Beverly Walker

Notes from the Pastor

This weekend we celebrate the Presentation of the Lord where Mary fulfills the rite of purification after childbirth and presents Jesus for the rite. Jesus, like other children was born in an ordinary home with no luxuries and had parents who taught Him the wisdom of God, and He grew in faith because of Mary and Joseph's parenting!

Jesus was also presented in the temple to Simeon. Simeon was a good man who believed that the Lord would return to his temple and renew his chosen people through the guidance of the Holy Spirit. But the Holy Spirit also revealed to Simeon that the baby Jesus was the fulfillment of all the messianic prophecies and the "new temple" of God's presence in the world!

Not only is He the "new temple" but through Jesus' death, resurrection and ascension, we are made living temples of the Holy Spirit as well!

May nothing hold us back from presenting ourselves to Our Lord; may we recognize the presence of the Lord and the Holy Spirit within us, and may we help others know His presence and His words of eternal life!

- Pray for Pope Francis and those who lead the Church, especially Bishop Brennan
• Pray for those affected by natural disasters and acts of violence (Corona Virus in China and other parts of the world; Australia wildfires; Iran; earthquake in Jamaica; floods in Brazil)
• This weekend is the Presentation of the Lord; there will be a Blessing of Throats after all the Masses
• This weekend is also the World Day for Consecrated Life; may those in consecrated life reflect the light of Christ to all peoples!
• St. Mary Parish Council had their meeting last week; details are in the bulletin
• Next weekend is World Marriage Day; if you haven't sent in your photos from your marriage, please drop them off at the Parish Office or email to st.maryweddings@gmail.com so we may put them on display!
• Starting February 24th, Sauder Furniture Company will be coming to St. Mary's to finish installation of the pews! We thank a wonderful benefactor for helping us complete the parish restoration.

Fr. Vince

News Worthy Notes

UPCOMING KEY EVENTS

- ❖ February 9, 2020: Saint Mary School Community Mass at 9:00 a.m.
❖ February 15, 2020: Catholic Women's Conference
❖ February 22, 2020: Catholic Men's Conference
❖ Our annual Gala! It will be held on April 18th, 2020. Tickets can be purchased using the following website
https://www.stmarygv.ejoinme.org/2020auction

TO TEACH IS TO TOUCH A LIFE FOREVER: Tutors are needed for adults seeking basic education skills, GED preparation, or English as a Second Language. The Dominican Learning Center will hold its next Tutor Training Workshop on Saturday, February 15 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at 1111 E. Stewart Avenue, Columbus, 43206. Volunteers must be at least 18 years of age and hold a high school diploma. Materials are free to tutors. To register, please call 614-444-7330 ext. 1 or email dlccolumbus@oppeace.org. To find out more, visit www.domlearningcenter.org.

MAKE IT A PASTA WEEKEND

- 4-S Club Ladies Auxiliary is hosting a spaghetti dinner on Friday, Feb. 7th from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Cost \$11.00 per person.
• The annual St. Charles Spaghetti Dinner will be held on Sunday, February 9th in the school's Robert C. Walter Student Commons from 1:00 - 6:30 p.m. All proceeds from the event will go towards supporting student financial aid. \$10.00 for adults; \$8.00 for senior citizens; \$5.00 for children 4-12; free for those 3 and under; and \$40 for a special family rate (dine-in and immediate family up to six members only, please). Carry out orders will also be available. We look forward to having you join us!

Parish Council Meeting Minutes: St. Mary, Mother of God Church, Monday, Jan. 27th, 2019 @ 6:30 p.m.

- Needs of the parish

We need to find out what parishioner think the needs of the parish are by survey

Survey should be executed as soon as possible

Survey would be: Emailed, printed and placed in bulletin or link in bulletin

- o Committee to compose survey:

Tom Martello (main writer), Sandra Grosko, Chris Bartony and Don Metnes

- o Survey Pillars:

Pastoral, Human, Spiritual, Academic/school,

Miscellaneous: What did we miss/open forum/comments

- o Timeline:

Due: Monday, February 17th, Bulletin: Wednesday, February 19th

Roll-out/Presentations: February 22nd and 23rd

- Committee Reports
• Welcoming Committee

Small team should come together to discuss responsibilities/job descriptions

- Spiritual Committee

Meeting early February

- Deanery Report: Tom Martello

Message was that the parishes are going to start an assessment for fact gathering

- Event Planning Committee Report: Mike Custer

We had our initial meeting Tuesday, January 28th

Current members: Katelyn Gibboney, Kim Stein, Bill Smith and Jill Landry. Additional members are welcome

Ideally, there would be four plus Mike

New Business

- Parish Staffing Update: Roger Minner
Roger now works for Saint Mary as Pastoral Administrator

- Finance Council Update: Roger Minner

We are a little ahead of planning due to offertory being down, but expenses being managed

Capital campaign has been doing well- gap has been decreased

- Parish Council Representation: Roger Minner

Next meeting is 2-24-20

Representative: Steve Holleran . Alternate: Brenda Gischel

- Announcements

Pews will be coming in on 2-24 so that it is ready for Ash

Wednesday

Meetings will be every 3rd Monday of the month unless there is a holy day, holiday, or another parish meeting conflict in which case members will be notified in advance.

Food pantry will be move to the vestibule

- Next Meeting: Monday, February 17th at 6:30pm

BANNS of MARRIAGE

Kenneth Boenisch and Erika Wonn

February 22, 2020